

Mr. Heath moved to give the bill a third reading by special order, and the question was put, and determined in the negative.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivered a resolution relative to hoisting the states' flag on the dome of the state-house, which was read the first time.

Also a resolution in favor of Richard Nagle of Cambria county, Pennsylvania, which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on pensions and revolutionary claims.

Also a resolution in favor of Washington G. Tuck, which was read the first time, and referred to the committee on ways and means

Also a bill to incorporate a company for erecting a bridge over the Bohemia river at the place where the public ferry is now kept, which was read the first time and referred to the committee on internal improvement.

Mr. Heath from the committee to whom was referred the bill directing the manner in which the free school fund in Anne Arundel county shall be appropriated, reported that the committee were of opinion that it ought to pass with the following amendments, viz;

Amendments proposed. 1st. In the 2nd line of the 3d section after the word "pay," insert the words "the said fund;" 2nd. In the 3d line of said section, strike out from the word "order," to the end of the section. Add the following as the 4th, 5th and 6th sections of the bill. 4th. And be it enacted, that the aforesaid commissioners are hereby authorised and required to invest in some safe and productive fund, the aforesaid monies now in the treasury, and made subject to their controul, and from time to time to dispose of said fund or so much thereof as may be necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this act. 5th. And be it enacted, that the commissioners aforesaid, are authorised and required to deposit in the Farmers' bank of Maryland, all monies which shall be received by them in virtue of this act, and all payments to be made by them shall be by check on said bank. 6th. And be it enacted, that the said commissioners, or such of them as each under, and by virtue of the provisions of this act, shall before they proceed, give bond to the justices of the levy court of Anne Arundel county with good and sufficient security, to be approved by said justices, in the penalty of ten thousand dollars; conditioned for the faithful performance of their duty which said bond shall be filed and recorded in the office of the clerk of said county, a copy whereof under the seal of court shall be evidence in any court of law or equity in this state.